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MEDICINAL.

SHE DON'T WANT TO TELL
—what made her beautiful.
Yet it's only what other
women know. Wealth of
beauty comes only with a
healthy body. Health is a
set of good habits. Doctor
Pierce's Favorite Prescription
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hollow cheeks, to-
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when they are made miser-
able with disorders, de-
rangements and pecu-
liar weaknesses. Health
is regained, after periods
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ders for the paper, news or any information
or business can be sent by telephone.
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ginia, as second-class matter.

The Ardnamont Mystery.

What is known as the "Ardnamont
Mystery" has been agitating all Eng-
land since the alleged commission of
the murder of Lieutenant Windsor
Cecil Dudley Hambrough early in Aug-
ust last. Many theories have been ad-
vanced for and against the allegation
that the young lieutenant accidentally
shot himself.

The trial is now in progress in Edin-
burgh. The accused is Hambrough's
friend and sometime tutor and Lon-
don comrade, Alfred John Monson, a
man with a history. The lieutenant
was discovered dead with gunshot
wounds in the back of his head in the
preserves of the estates which Mr.
Monson had gone from England to pur-
chase. Monson, it is said, had invited
young Hambrough to this place—Ard-
namont. An examination disclosed
the fact that the pellets which killed
the militia officer were from Monson's
gun. Monson subsequently explained
that after they had left the house that
day to go shooting together they had
exchanged guns. It was at first sup-
posed that Hambrough had tripped and
in consequence his gun had exploded as
he fell. But a tree near where the
body was found was discovered to have
received some of the charge just about
the height of a man's head from the
ground. Monson said he parted com-
pany with his friend just before the al-
leged accident.

But the most mysterious thing about
the affair is this: They were accom-
panied by an attendant, Edward Scott,
who disappeared the day following the
tragedy and the police have failed to
get the slightest clue to his whereabouts
about after publicity in newspapers
all over the world. Scott carried the
game bag, but no gun. This young
Englishman was the engineer on Ham-
brough's steam yacht. One story is that
Scott is a person well known in
metropolitan music halls as an expert
shot, whose business is trick shooting
with saloon firearms. He was last
seen in the company of Monson. It
transpired that a week previous to the
shooting fatality Mr. Hambrough had
insured his life with a New York life in-
surance company, through their Glas-
gow office, for \$100,000, the allegation
being that at the time of Mr. Ham-
brough's death the policy was in course
of being signed to Mr. Monson, while it
is rumored that the deceased was nego-
tiating with an Edinburgh office for a
fifty thousand dollar policy.

A curious instance of legal procedure
was afforded a few weeks ago when
Mr. Henderson, the deputy Sheriff-
Clerk of Argyleshire, journeyed from
Inverary to Ardnamont and left
at the house there a copy of the
indictment for "Edward Scott, or
Davis or Sweeney," that being his last
known residence in Scotland. All over
Scotland posters headed "Murder" in
large, black letters are exhibited out-
side the police offices asking informa-
tion as regards the whereabouts of Ed-
ward Sweeney, alias Edward Davis,
alias Edward Scott, known in racing
circles as "Ted Davis" or "Long Ted."

Mr. Monson is about thirty years of
age, but does not look more than twenty-
five. Tall and erect, he is clean
shaven and, with his clear cut features,
might pass for an advocate at the Scot-
tish bar.

London Truth has published the fol-
lowing curious items in connection
with the now celebrated case:—
"Whether Mr. Monson is guilty or
not of the murder of Lieutenant Ham-
brough is a matter on which a jury
will have to decide. In Italy, how-
ever, it would be believed that he is a
jettatore—that is to say, a person who,
from no fault of his own, has the singu-
lar attribute of bringing some misfor-
tune on others wherever he goes. The
only way for any one brought in con-
tact with such a person to avoid ill con-
sequence is to point two fingers at him.
Pope Pio Nono was supposed to be a
jettatore, and the devout Catholics
while asking his blessing used to point
two fingers at him. I remember once
in Nice there was a gentleman
who had this reputation. The Prefect,
being a Frenchman, invited him to a
ball. He soon, however, discovered
that if the jettatore came many others
would not, and he had to convey to
him delicately the request not to ac-
cept the invitation.

"A few years ago Mr. Monson rented
a large house in the country which was
standing idle. Soon the racks of hay
there were burnt down. A little later
the stables were burnt, when some
horses belonging to him were nearly
destroyed owing to its having been for-
gotten until the last moment to open
the door in order to let them out. But
as they were his horses, and the prop-
erty of the jettatore himself never is
injured, the stable door was opened by
the villagers just in time to save his
horses. Mr. and Mrs. Monson left the
house on the tenure of it expiring, but
a servant was left there to bring up
luggage, &c., the next day. That night
the house was burnt down, and jewel-
ry belonging to Mrs. Monson was
melted. As, however, it was insured,
the loss did not fall on Mr. Monson,
which would be deemed in Italy an ad-
ditional reason for believing that he has
the 'evil eye'."

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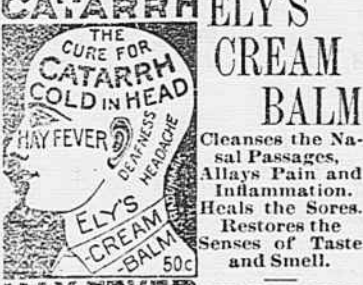
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"There was a numb,
creaky feeling in my
hand and leg, & I
had to rub and beat
them until they were
sore to partially
overcome the dead-
ness. Had a strange
weakness in my back
and stomach. Physi-
cians said it was
creeping paralysis,
for which there was
no relief. I doctored a
year and a half with-
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SERGEANT'S SALE OF HORSE AND
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By virtue of an order made by the Corpora-
tion Court of the city of Alexandria, in and
for the said city, bearing date the 12th day of
October, 1893, and duly recorded in deed book
No. 29, page 27, one of the land records of the
Corporation Court of the city of Alexan-
dria, Va., at the request of the party secured
thereby, the undersigned, as trustee therein
named, will sell at public auction at twelve
o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1893,
in front of the Royal street entrance to the
Market Building, Alexandria, Va., the follow-
ing property, to wit:

Two lots of ground with the BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS
thereon, situated on the east side of Patrick
street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, Alex-
andria, Virginia, and bounded and described
as follows: viz:

First, A LOT OF GROUND with a FRAME
DWELLING thereon, known as No. 336
south Patrick street, and bounded as follows:
Beginning on the east side of Patrick street at
a point 14 feet 84 inches north of Wolfe
street and running thence north on Patrick
street 15 feet 2 inches to the center of an al-
ley 2 feet wide by 32 feet in length; thence
east along the center of said alley 51 feet 81
inches to an alley 10 feet wide; thence south
along said alley 15 feet 2 inches, and thence
west parallel to Wolfe street 51 feet 81 inches
to the beginning; and

Second, A LOT OF GROUND with a FRAME
DWELLING thereon, known as No. 334
south Patrick street, adjoining the above de-
scribed premises on the north, and having a
front of 15 feet 4 inches on Patrick street and
extending back east to that width 51 feet
81 inches to a 10 feet alley.

Terms: For cash as to so much as may be
necessary to defray the expenses of sale and to
discharge the amount of money due upon the
note secured by said deed of trust, principal
and interest, which amounts to about the
sum of \$1,600.75, and the residue (if any) shall
be made payable at such time and secured in
such manner as the grantors in the said deed of
trust or assigns may direct.

THOMAS F. BURROUGHS,
Trustee.

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WEDNESDAY, December 27, 1893.
dec12 1s

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